



BWC Considerations for Detectives



San Diego County Sheriff's Department
Video Analysis Unit

Detective Responsibilities

P&P 6.131 - “Detectives are responsible for reviewing, tracking digital evidence associated with their assigned cases, and forwarding digital evidence to the District Attorney or City Attorney when appropriate.”

- Individual stations may delegate labeling and sharing videos, however it is ultimately the responsibility of the assigned detective to ensure all BWC evidence is provided to the DA or CA
- Some degree of verification is necessary (CAD, Commander, NetRMS Report) to ensure all videos are accounted for and forwarded accordingly



Detective Responsibilities

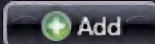

- Tagging a case number and then sharing to the DA in Commander must be done in order
- If done improperly the DA will not be able to find the video
- Removing the Share to DA tag and re-tagging the case number to the video(s) will not solve the issue
- DAs are generally only able to search by the NetRMS case number for a video



Detective Responsibilities

Tags

Tag	Value
Category	ARREST FELONY
Event Number	E4994877-CAD
Event Number	E4994877
NetRMS Case Number	18128362
Share	DA

 Add  Remove

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Detective Responsibilities

- Reviewing BWC video for cases is encouraged prior to sharing with another agency (including the DA and CA)
- There is the potential for critical investigative information to be released unintentionally if BWC video is not reviewed (i.e. 1040)
- Also, deputies may record situations which are personally sensitive (i.e. warning the DA that the deputy has a personal phone call on one video)

